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BANK STATEMENT MORE FAVOR-ABLE AND RELIEF IN SIGHT.

Some Wide Fluctuations in Several of the Specialties and a Rally at the Close-Local Markets.

At New York Saturday money on call was easier at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4%4651/2 per cent.

Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85\4@4.85\4 for demand, and at \$4.81%@4.82 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.83@4.83% and \$4.86%@ 84.87; commercial bills, \$4.801/2@4.81.

Silver certificates, 581/20591/2c; bar silver, \$8%c; Mexican dollars, 47%c. At London bar silver closed steady at 27 1-16d an ounce. The stock of gold coin in the New York subtreasury is now \$127,000,000. This is said to be larger than any previous holding of gold in thirty years.

The exports of gold and silver from the New York port to all countries for the week aggregated \$865,210 silver, bar and coin, and \$5,000 gold, a total of \$870,210. The imports c? specie were \$193,988 gold and \$79,190 silver. The import of dry goods and merchandise at the port of New York for the week were valued at \$10,033,517.

The New York weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, increase...... \$2,668,350 

legal tenders, decrease ...... 1,241,600 

legal requirements. The New York Financier says: "The clearing house banks of New York city were able last week, through the familiar operation of contracting loans and lessenng deposit liabilities, to strengthen their position, surplus reserves having risen to hearly three millions, as against about a quarter million for the week previous. This was accomplished in the face of an actual loss of two and one-half millions in cash, an amount rather less than the known operations of the week had prepared the street o expect. The wholesale liquidation which has been in evidence for some days past is deposits. The shrinkage in the latter tem, lowering, as it did, the reserve liabil- | St. L. & San Fran. first pref..... ity by 25 per cent., released over \$5,000,000 in nd explains why, with money still lowing into the treasury and to the West, the banks are able to end the week in a nger position, from a cash standpoint, than they began it. In the past three weeks the decrease in loans has been no s than thirty-one millions, while deposits have been reduced over \$50,000,000. In the same time there has been a loss in cash of of banking operations very well, for it is known that the loss of specie and legals to the interior has not been as heavy as the | W. & L. E. second pref...... 1,460 figures given above indicate.

POLICY OF LIQUIDATION. "The money has flowed in large part into the treasury, and it has been this constant drain that has necessitated the policy of liquidation to maintain reserves. As bearing on this point, the completed totals of the New York national banks, as given in their official statements of Sept. 7, show that between June 30 and the first week in September country bank balances were reduced only four millions, whereas the contraction in other deposits was about seventy-four millions. In the time intervening between the two official statements the national banks lost twenty-one millions in specie and legals. The movement to the interior since Sept. 7 has been a little more active, but nothing in comparison in the loss in cash sustained by the banks this

The tone of the trading in stocks on 'Change, Saturday, was quiet by comparison with the recent excited temper on the Exchange, but the local traction stocks continued to reflect a decidedly uncertain frame of mind. Brooklyn Transit refused to go up more than a point, and then slipped below Friday night's level. Its extreme decline was five points, and even with a final rally of covering by shorts its net loss is three There was no marked strength at any time. The early advance was nominally in sympathy with the hope expressed in some quarters abroad that the Transvaal queson would find a peaceful solution after all. Earlier gains had been generally wiped out when the bank statement appeared. The first effect of the statement was a rally, due to buying by those who never look further than the surplus reserve figures. An analysis of the statement failed to develop serve than last week, but the statement shows a decrease in cash somewhat less than had been anticipated. The outgo was decrease in cash somewhat less greatest toward the end of the week, so hat the full decrease may not be shown under the system of averages by which the ement is made up. Counting the week's uction of \$17.866,500 in loans, the total an contraction by the clearing house

Much was made early in the week of plan of relief for the stringency by an increase of national bank circulation. It will be observed that the total increase of circulation, according to the statements, is 235,900 for the week. Furious speculative ectivity and excitement have made heavy dealings on the Stock Exchange all week. The obvious necessity disclosed by the contraction of loans by the banks prepared the professional stock operators to take advantage of the forced liquidation of specu-lative holdings of stocks, which had been ought on a margin with borrowed money. The professional operators were all bears and took the market away from the longs as quickly as the pressure of liquidation manifested itself. The course of prices inlcated pretty clearly that the calling of loans was made with marked discrimination against the industrial stocks. The margin of collateral on loans in which these curities figured was broadened as well as the rate of interest being marked up. In many cases the loans were called outright only to be placed after the collateral had been shifted into more substantial securi-Transit had an inevitable effect on other curities more or less allied to it by comn ownership of securities. The proportions of the dealings in Brooklyn Transit ave perhaps never been equaled in the history of any other stock in the period of time. In two weeks past the number of shares of this stock old on the Exchange foot up a total of almost four times as great as the total shares of the company. The fact is being to emerge that a contest is on be tween some of the most powerful financial interests in the country for the control of some or all the public utilities and franchises of Greater New York. The contest has been open and fierce for many months in the gas business and belief in Wall street that the same elements are contending for the control of the street-rallway corporations. The eagerness of the bear ele ment among professional operators result-ed in extending the short account and the emand to cover became urgent. There was ne relief from the earlier anxiety over he money outlook as the week progressed sed on various causes. Large contraction loans was sufficient to insure a material ease in deposit liabilities by the banks and the outgo of money showed a failing off oth to the interior and to the subtreasury. he purchase of \$500,000 in gold in the Lonn market for shipment to New York, though it would not be vouched for by any one in Wall street, had an effect on Stock ge sentiment, as it was doubtless inended it should. The downward course of early import movement of gold, though fortchange which makes a good de-belated cotton bills which are now until England has a sufficient military force

ber the surplus reserves of the New York banks fell below \$5,000,000 on Sept. 17, and loan contraction and liquidation on the Stock Exchange set in with a stiffening of the call loan rate to 6 per cent. Then the rate dropped to 2 per cent. and surplus reserve had risen to about \$15,000,000. But last September the treasury added to its deposits with depository banks the sum of nearly \$15,000,000 in connection with the payment of subscriptions to the new government bond issue. The large excess of government expenditures over receipts was adding to the money in circulation, while the New York banks are now losing weekly to the subtreasury. During last September the receipts of gold from Europe at New York, according to the custom house report, were \$11,738,242. This month there have been no receipts of gold and none is likely before the end of the month. Nationa banks were increasing their circulation last September on a larger scale than this. These differences in the circumstances last year must be taken into account in connection with the quick recuperation of New York banks last September. The loan contraction last year between Sept. 10 and Oct. 1 reached nearly \$30,000,000.

The bond market has moved generally in sympathy with stocks, but has not been as active nor changes as wide. United States twos advanced 14, but old fours, registered, declined 14 and the threes 16 in the bid

Following is a list of stock sales with clos-Atchison pref ..... Canada Southern ..... Chicago Great Western ..... Chicago, Burlington & Quincy .... Chicago & Easternn Illinois...... Chicago & Northwestern...... 200 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific... 3,400 C., C., C. & St. Louis..... Colorado Southern ..... 3,000 Oolorado Southern first pref..... Colorado Southern second pref.... Delaware & Hudson..... Del., Lack. & Western...... Denver & Rio Grande..... Denver & Rio Grande pref...... Great Northern pref...... Hocking Coal ..... Hocking Valley ..... Illinois Central ..... Iowa Central ..... Lake Erie & Western..... L. E. & Western pref..... Manhattan L ..... 10,830 Minneapolis & St. Louis pref ..... Missouri Pacific ..... 2,350 Mobile & Ohio ..... Missouri, Kan. & Texas..... Missouri, Kan. & Texas pref ..... 1,000 New Jersey Central..... Norfolk & Western ..... Norfolk & Western pref..... Ontario & Western ..... Pennsylvania ..... Reading first pref ..... Reading second pref..... St. Louis & San Fran..... St. L. & San Fran. second pref .... St. Louis Southwestern ..... St. Louis Southwestern pref...... St. Paul .....

Southern Pacific ...... 15,520 Southern Railway ...... 1,000 Southern Railway pref..... Texas & Pacific ..... Union Pacific ..... 4,000 Wheeling & Lake Erie ..... 1,450 Wisconsin Central ..... EXPRESS COMPANIES. United States .....

American Cotton Oil...... 1,000 American Maiting .. American Malting pref..... Am. Smelting and Am. Smelting and Refining pref .. American Spirits ..... American Spirits pref..... American Steel Hoop..... American Steel Hoop pref...... American Steel and Wire ...... 1,000 American Steel and Wire pref .... American Tin Plate ..... American Tin Plate pref...... American Tobacco ..... American Tobacco pref..... Anaconda Mining Co..... Brooklyn Rapid Transit..... 59,295 Colorado Fuel and Iron..... Federal Steel pref..... General Electric .....

International Paper pref..... National Lead ..... National Steel pref. New York Air Brake..... North American ..... Pacific Coast ..... Pacific Coast first pref..... Pacific Coast second pref..... Pressed Steel Car pref..... Pullman Palace Car ..... Standard Rope and Twine ...... United States Leather p United States Rubber..... nanks since Aug. 26 aggregate \$34.864,500. THE PLAN FOR RELIEF.

United States Rubber pref...... Western Union ..... Republic I. and S. pref...... 1.450 UNITED STATES BONDS. United States twes, reg..... United States threes, reg..... United States threes, coup..... United States new fours, reg..... United States new fours, coup..... United States old fours, reg..... United States old fours, coup..... United States fives, reg..... United States fives, coup..... MINING SHARES. -Boston Quotations.previous Saturday's bank statement for a | Calumet and Hecla..... Centennial ..... Franklin ..... Osceola ..... Parrot ..... Tamarack ..... Winona ..... -New York Quotations .-Crown Point Consolidated California and Virginia ... Deadwood ..... Gould and Curry ..... Homestake ..... Iron Silver ..... The violent fluctuations in Brooklyn Mexican ..... Plymouth ..... Quicksilver pref ..... Standard ..... Union Consolidated ..... Yellow Jacket ..... Views of Henry Clews. "It appears to be very generally understood that it would be reckless to disregard possibilities in the money market and in foreign politics which, for some weeks ahead, may keep business in suspense. We are yet in the woods in respect to the bank situation. Probably the outflow of currency to the interior has reached its climax; but although it may be expected to diminish from this time forward, yet the beginning of the reflux movement can hardly be ex-

ing forward more freely. Last Septem- in Africa to warrant her declaring her ulti-

pected before the middle or end of October:

and, with the bank reserves in their present

depleted condition, it is not easy to see how

the still remaining demand for money from

the country banks is to be met without

some exposure to spasms and squeezes. Nor

can we expect to be delivered at an early

day from the uncertainties that center

around London. The African affair has en-

tered the tedious phase of diplomacy with

its daily changing promises and disappoint-

ments, which are always demoralizing to

matum nor is Kruger likely to commit the folly of striking until he must. The sig- | 6c; American shirting, 3%c; black white, 4%c; nificance of all this is that there are still (and may be for the next few weeks) un-certainties of sufficient magnitude to perpetuate the past suspense and possibly to precipitate adverse reactions. 'Something must depend on the course of

the foreign exchanges, but it is difficult to form a satisfactory estimate of the real position of that factor. The course of our foreign trade is still drifting towards a balance that must sooner or later start a flow of gold to this country. But London watches the drift with much precaution, as well she may with a probable foreign war hanging over her head. That center may be expected to do all in her power to keep its gold at home, pending these uncertainties, and will not hesitate to play off against us the return of our securities as occasion may suggest. This policy is already evident London is selling when prices rise here and buying little when quotations fall; and its realizations exceed its buying. Our August exports of merchandise show an excess over imports upon a scale which, if continued, must ultimately put it in our power to draw gold from Europe; but the present course direction, does not bring that movement within sight. From such indications as appear on the surface, it seems quite possible that the trade balance may not bring us any appreciable amount of gold until the return of currency from the interior has restored a normal ease in money at this center. In that case, we will be in less urgent need of the metal, and its course will be towards the point where there is the greatest demand for it. Late exprience has shown that American balances may rest in Europe to the extent of seventy to eighty millions when the money is needed more there than at home, and the comparative rates of interest here and abroad will determine whether we shall have a repetition of that condition during the next few months. It is not unlikely that, after importing a moderate amount of specie, we should be willing to permit it to accumulate abroad; and that is the more probable in prospect of the extraordinary travel from here next year to the Paris exposi-"In view of the foregoing circumstances, t seems that, for the present, the proper

attitude toward the market is one of eration both as to expectations and holdings. Wall street has had the equinoctial gale which I foreshadowed was forthcoming and which culminated in Wednesday's severe break, produced by a combination of circumstances-tight money in this country, the Dreyfus matter in France, and the Afri-can war cloud in London-affecting the three great money centers. The shock has come and gone without any serious disasters occurring other than severe liquidation, the worst of which may now be regarded as over. A recovery in tone as well as in prices is now the natural sequence. Prices, however, must not be expected to advance to booming figures; for, while the money market is easier, it is far from affording facilities to provide for an extended bull Until the flow of money is pronouncedly this way, therefore, the conditions only warrant a trading market, and prices have now reached a fair basis to justify buying and selling any of the good active stocks for the wide and frequent fuctuations that we are likely to have in the immediate future."

Saturday's Bank Clearings.

At Chicago-Clearings, \$20,817,994; balances, \$2.-Sterling exchange, \$4.84 and \$4.87. New At St. Louis-Clearings, \$3,833,542; balances, \$58,384. Money. 4@8 per cent. New York ex-change, 50c discount bld, 25c discount asked. At Cincinnati-Clearings, \$1,663,870. New York exchange, 50@40c discount. Money, 31/26 per cent. At New York-Clearings, \$204,858,620; balances, \$10,913,906. At Boston-Clearings, \$22,243,787; balances, \$1. Baltimore Clearings, \$3,132,031; balances,

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

At Philadelphia-Clearings, \$15,823,068; balances,

The Banner Week in Trade, with Very Fair Profits Realized. Almost without exception the wholesale merchants and commission men speak of the trade in the week ending Saturday. Sept. 23, as having been the banner week in their history. Weather, finances and light stocks carried by the retail merchants all helped in the result. In prices there were no important changes. Many lines of goods are now sold on very close margins, and the volume of trade cuts an important figure in the matter of profits. During the week there was no change in values made of importance. Poultry, eggs, fruits of the season and vegetables were in active request, and the cool weather enabled commission houses and produce men to maintain stiff prices, as compared with those in the recent heated term, when fruit rotted badly. The seed merchants are again busy, all seeds being firm at quotations. Coal dealers report trade highly satisfactory, but prices unsettled, owing to the shortage of cars, which prevents the usual shipments to this and other Western markets,

Provisions are moving better at steady prices. In the local grain market there was more life the past week. Still, receipts are disappointing in volume and short of the local requirements. Track bids, as reported by the secretary of the Board of Trade yesterday, ruled as follows: Wheat-No. 2 red, 691/20; No. 3 red, 651/4@681/40; September, 69%c; wagon wheat, 69c. Corn-No. 1 white, 32%c; No. 2 white (one color), 32%c; No. 4 white, 29%@31%c; No. 2 white mixed, 324c; No. 3 white mixed, 324c; No. 4 white mixed, 294@314c; No. 2 yellow, 324c; No. yellow, 324c; No. 4 yellow, 2946314c; No. 2 mixed, 324c; No. 3 mixed, 324c; No. 4 mixed, 294 631%c; ear corn, 32c. Oats-No. 2 white, 25%e; No. 3 white, 24%e; No. 2 mixed, 23%c; No. 3 mixed, 22%c. Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$8.50@9; No. 2 timothy, \$

No. 1 white, 8 cars; No. 3 white, 4; No. 3 mixed, 3: total, 15 cars. Poultry and Other Produce. (Prices paid by shippers.) Poultry-Hens, 8c; cocks, 3c; young chickens, 768c; hen turkeys, young and fat, 869c; young toms, 10611c; young ducks, 5c; geese, 3c for full feathered, 2½c for plucked. Cheese-New York full creams, 12@130; skims, 6@8c; domestic Swiss, 12@15c; brick, 13c; limbur-

Inspections-Wheat: Rejected, 1 car. Corn:

Eggs-Candled, 14c. Feathers-Prime geese, 30c per 1b; prime duck, 10@17c per lb. Beeswax-30c for yellow; 25c for dark. Wool-Medium, unwashed, 18@19c; tub-washed 20@25c; burry and unmerchantable, 5c less.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Green-salted Hides-No. 1, 91/2c; No. 2, 81/2c; No. 1 calf, 10c; No. 2 calf, 81/4c. Grease-White, 3c; yellow, 21/2c; brown, 21/4c. Tallow-No. 1, 3c; No. 2, 21/2c. Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

THE JOBBING TRADE. (The quotations given below are the selling prices of the wholesale dealers.)

Candies and Nuts, Candies-Stick, 61/26%c per lb; common mixed 61/67c; G. A. R. mixed, 61/c; Banner twist stick, Sc; cream mixed, 9c; old-time mixed, 7c. Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 11@13c; English walnuts, 9@12c; Brazil nuts, 10c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, 10c. Olls-Linseed, 46@48c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador. 60c; West Virginia, lubricating, 20@30c; miners 40c; lard oils, winter strained, in bris, 40c per gal; half bris, 3c per gal extra.

Canned Goods. Corn. 75c@\$1.25. Peaches-Eastern Standard 2-lb, \$1.75@2; 3-lb seconds, \$1.35@1.60; Californi standard, \$2.10@2.40; California seconds, \$1.75@2. Miscellaneous-Blackberries, 2-lb, 65@70c; rasp berries, 3-lb, 30@95c; pineapples, standard, 2-lb \$1.10@1 20; choice, \$1.60@2.50; cove oysters, 1-lb, full weight, 85@95c; light, 60@65c; string beans, 7 @90c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.20; peas, marrowfats. 85c@\$1.10; early June, 90c@\$1.10; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, 90c@\$1; strawberries, 85@90c; salmon, 1-lb, 90c@\$1.85; 3-lb, tomatoes, 90@95c.

Coal and Coke. Anthracite, per ton, \$7; Brazil block, \$3.50 Island City lump, \$3.25; Paragon lump, \$3.25; Jackson lump. \$4.50; Pittsburg lump, \$4.50; C. & O. Kanawha lump, \$4.50; Winifrede lump, \$4.50; Blossburg smithing, \$5; smokeless, \$4.50; lump coke, per bu, 10c; crushel coke, per bu, 12c.

Alcohol, \$2.48@2.60; asafetida, 25@30c; alum, 244 64c; camphor, 50@55c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 58@65c; copperas, brls, 75@85c; cream tartar, pure, 30@33c; indigo, 65@80c; licorice, Calab. genuine, 35@40c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 20@22c morphine, P & W., per oz, \$2.30@2.55; madder, 14 @16c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1@1.10; oil, bergamot, per lb, \$2.25; opium, \$3.50; quininne, P. & W., oz. 39@44c; balsam copalba, 50@60c; soap castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda bicarb, 214@6c; salts, Epsom, 11/264c; sulphur flour, 21/265c; saltpeter, 16 @14c; turpentine, 56@60c; glycerine, 15@18c; jodide potassium, \$2.50@2.60; bromide potassium, 55@60c; chlorate potash, 15@20c; borax, 9@12c; cinchonidia, 40@45c; carbolic acid, 30@32c; linseed oil, raw, 36c; linseed oil, boiled, 37c.

Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin L, 61/2c; Berkley, No. 60, 8c; Cabot, 5%c; Capitol, 4%c; Cumberland, 64c; Dwight Anchor, 7c; Fruit of the 7c; Farwell, 64c; Fitchville, 54c; Full Width, 4%c; Gilt Edge, 4%c; Gilded Age, 4%c; Hill, 6%c; Hope, 6c; Linwood, 6%c; Lonsdale, 7c; Peabody, 4%c; Pride of the West, 1014c; Ten Strike, 51/4c; Pepperell, 9-4, 18c; Pepperell, 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 181/2c; Androscoggin, 10-4.

Brown Sheeting-Atlantic A. 6c: Argyle, 5c: Boott C. 41/2c; Buck's Head, 51/2c; Clifton CCC, 5c; Constitution, 40-inch, 51/2c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 6c: Dwight's Star, 6c; Great Falls E, 5c; Great Falls J. 414c; Hill Fine, 614c; Indian Head, 514c; Pepperell R, 5c; Pepperell, 10-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 16c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 18c. Prints—Allen dress styles, 4½c; Allen's staples, 4½c; Allen TR, 4½c; Allen's robes, 4½c; American indigo, 4%c; Arnoid long cloth, B, 7½c; Arnoid, LLC, 5½c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Hamilton fancy, 5c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 5½c; Pacific fancy, 5½c; Simpson's mourning, 4½c;

Simpson's Berlin solids, 5c; Simpson's oil finish, Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 54c; Amoskeag dress, 6c; Persian dress, 6c; Bates, 54c; Lancas-ter, 54c; Lancaster Normandles, 6c; Renfrew

Kid-finished Cambries-Edwards, 31/2c; Warren, IN A LOWER RANGE. 314c; Slater, 314c; Genesee, 314c Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$14; American, \$14; Harmony, \$13.50; Stark, \$16. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 91/2c; Conestoga BF ACE, 91/2c; Hamilton awnings, 8c; Kimono fancy, 17c; Lenox fancy, 18c; Muthuen AA, 91/2c; Oakland AF, 51/4c; Portsmouth, 101/4c; Susequehanna, 111/4c; Shetucket SW, 51/4c; Shetucket F, 6c; Swift

River, 41/2c. Straight grades, \$3.40@3.60; fancy grades, \$3.60@ 3.75; patent flour, \$4@4.56; low grades, \$2.25@3; spring wheat patents, \$5@5.25.

11/2c; Cordis 140, 91/2c; Cordis FT, 91/2c; Cordis

Groceries. Coffee-Good, 10@12c; prime, 12@14c; strictly prime, 14@16c; fancy green and yellow, 18@22c; Java, 28@32c. Roasted—Old government Java, 3214@33c; Golden Rio, 24c; Bourbon Santos, 24c Gilded Santos, 24c; prime Santos, 23c. Package coffee-city prices-Ariosa, 10.15c; Lion, 9.65c; Jer of exchange, though slowly yielding in that | sey, 10.15c; Caracas, 9.65c; Dillworth's, 9.65c; Mail Pouch, 9.65c; Gates's blended Java, 9.65c. Sugars-City prices-Dominoes, 5.57c; cut loaf, 5.69c; powdered, 5.38c; XXXX powdered, 5.38c standard granulated, 5.32c; fine granulated, 5.32c granulated—5-lb bags, 5.38c; granulated—2-lb bags, 5.38c; granulated—5-lb cartons, 5.38c; granulated-2-ib cartons, 5.38c; extra fine granulated 5.44c; cubes, 5.44c; mold A, 5.57c; confectioners A. 5.07c; 1 Columbia A-Keystone A. 4.82c; 2 Windsor A-American A, 4.82c; 3 Ridgewood A-Centennial A, 4.82c; 4 Phoenix A-California A 4.76c; 5 Empire A-Franklin B, 4.69c; 6 Ideal Golden Ex. C-Keystone B, 4.63c; 7 Windsor Ex. C-American B. 4.57c; 8 Ridgewood Ex. C-Centennial B. 4.51c: 9 Yellow Ex. C-California B. 4.44c; 10 Yellow C-Franklin Ex. C. 4.32c; 11 Yellow-Keystone Ex. C. 4.19c; 12 Yellow-American Ex C. 4.13c; 13 Yellow-Centennial Ex. C. 4.13c; 14 Yellow-California Ex. C, 4.07c; 15 Yellow, 4.07c; Salt-In cart lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@95c. Spices-Pepper. 12@18c; allspice. 15@18c; cloves.

18@25c; cassia, 15@18c; nutmegs, 65@75c per lb. Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000 \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; ½ brl, \$8; ¼ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16 brl, \$6.50; ½ brl, \$10; ¼ brl, \$20; No. 1 cream, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16 brl, \$8.75; 1/4 brl, \$14.50; 1/4 bri. \$28.50. Extra charge for printing. \$1.10@1.15. Beans—Choice hand-picked navy, \$1.45@1.50 per bu: Limas, California, 505%c per lb. Screened Beans-\$1.35@1.40. Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans molasses,

fair to prime, 28@33c; choice, 35@40c; syrups, 18 Rice-Louisiana, 414@614c: Carolina, 614@814c. Shot-\$1.30@1.35 per bag for drop. Lead-616@7c for pressed bars. Twine—Hemp. 12@18c per lb; wool. \$@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 25c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 18@25c. Wood Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$2@2.25; No. 2, \$2.25@2.56; No. 3, \$2.50@2.75; No. 5, \$3@3.25. Woodenware-No. 1 tubs, \$6@6.25; No. 2 tubs \$5@5.25; No. 3 tubs, \$4@4.25; 3-hoop pails, \$1.50@ 1.60; 2-hoop pails, \$1.30@1.35; double washboards \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.25@1.50; clothes

Iron and Steel. Bar Iron-2.10@2.30c; horseshoe bar, 3@34c; nail rod, 7c; plow slabs, 3c; American cast steel 9@11c; tire steel, 3@31c; spring steel, 416@5c. Leather.

pins, 50@60c per box.

Leather-Oak sole, 28@31c; hemlock sole, 25@ 27c; harness, 32@37c; skirting, 38@42c; single strap, 38@41c; city kip, 60@85c; French kip, 90c@ \$1.20; city calfskin, 90c@\$1.10; French calfskin, Nails and Horseshoes.

Steel cut nails, \$2; wire nails, from store, \$3.25 rates; from mill, \$3 rates. Horseshoes, per keg. \$4; mule shoes, per keg. \$4.50; horse nails, \$4@ per box. Barb wire, galvanized, \$3.35; painted,

Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. Apples-\$1.25@2 per brl for cooking; eating ap-Bananas-Per bunch, No. 1, \$1@1.50. Oranges-California seedling oranges, \$5.50. Lemons-Messina, choice, 360 to box, \$4.50; fancy, \$5. Red Plums-\$1.50 per bu. New Potatoes-50c per bu; \$1.45 per brl. Sweet Potatoes-Baltimores, \$1.76 per brl; Jer

eys, \$2.75 per brl. Pears-\$1.25 per bu; \$3.50 per bu for Duchess. Tomatoes-60@70c per bu. Cucumbers-15c per doz. Cabbage-\$1@1.15 per brl. Celery-15@25c per bunch. New Beets-121/2015c per dozen bunches. Green Beans-75c per bu. Wax Beans-\$1 per bu.

New Lima Beans-\$1 per gal. Yellow Globe Onions-\$1.85 per bri; white, \$1.75 Honey-New white, 17c per lb; dark, 18c. Melons-Cantaloupes, 75c per brl; orates, dem melons, 30c per basket; watermelons, \$120 15 per hundred. Osage Melons-50c per bu. Cranberries-\$2@2.15 per bu box.

Onions (Spanish)-\$1.30@1.35 per crate. Provisions. Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 lbs average, 714c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 714c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 714c; bellies, 25 lbs average, 714c; 18 to 22 lbs average, 71/2c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 81/2c. Clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 71/4c; 12 to 16 lbs average, 7%c; 6 to 9 lbs average, 7%c. In dry salt,

Hams-Sugar cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 11%@ 12c; 15 lbs average, 11%@124c; 12 lbs average, 12@ 1214c; 10 lbs average, 121/2@124c. Lard-Kettle-rendered, 7c; pure lard, 6%c. Pork-Bean, clear, \$14; rump, \$11. Shoulders-18 to 20 lbs average, 7%c; 15 lbs average, 7%c; 10 to 12 lbs average, 7%c.

Seeds. Clover-Choice, \$3.75; prime, \$4.25; English choice \$3.75@4; alsike, choice, \$5@6; alfalfa, choice, \$4.25 @4.50; crimson or scarlet clover, \$3.75@4.25; timothy, 45 lbs, prime, \$1.30@1.35; light prime, \$1.35@ 1.40; choice, \$1.25@1.30; fancy Kentucky, 14 lbs, \$1.10; extra clean, 60@75c; orchard grass, extra, \$1@1.10; red top, choice, 80c@\$1.40; English bluegrass, 24 lbs, \$1.15@1.75; German millet, 63@ 85c; Western millet, 60@75c; common millet, 40

SALES OF REAL ESTATE. Fifteen Transfers, with a Total Con-

sideration of \$51,779. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twentyfour hours ending at 5 p. m. Sept. 23, 1899, as furnished by Theo. Stein, abstracter of titles, corner of Market and Pennsylvania streets, Indianapolis, Suite 229, first office floor, The Lemcke. Telephone

Joshua Jump and John H. Bogart, execu-

tors, to Charles A. Owen, Lots 1 to 30, inclusive, Block 1; Lots 1 to 30, inclusive, Block 2; Lots 1 to 30, inclusive, Block 3; Lots 1 to 30, inclusive, Block 4, in C. A. Owen's Park Grove addition .... \$8,000 United States Mortgage and Trust Company to Emma D. Sutherland, Lot 16, Block 8, second section, Lincoln Park Daniel Monninger to Joseph I. Irwin, part of the south half of the northwest quarter of Section 30, Township 15, Range 4... Cassius M. C. Willis to Walter J. Hubbard, Lots 46 and 47, in J. C. Shoemaker's southeast addition ..... Charity Whitson to Will H. Haverstick. part of the east half of the southeast quarter of Section 5, Township 15 north, Range 2 east..... Cora L. Eaglesfield to Wm. P. Myer, Lot 64, in James A. and Margaret Bruce's Hubbard's Park Heights addition...... 25 and 26, in Crawford et al.'s first subdivision ..... in Connaty's second addition ..

Laura B. Bailey to trustees Mozart Lodge, No. 531, I. O. O. F., Lot 9, Block 10, in Walter J. Goodall to Mary A. Burnet, Lots May P. Connaty to Claude Shaw, Lot 28, loseph H. Fifer to Margaret C. Lingenfelter, Lot 24, Block 9, in Wm. Braden et al.'s West Indianapolis addition..... Charles B. Hoover to Mary Alice Richards, the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 33, Township 16 north, Range 4 saac Russell to Edward W. Wickey, Lot 6, Block 2, in Nordyke et al.'s Grand Allie S. Boden to David A. Coulker, Lot 20, Block 1, first section, in Martindale's Lincoln Park addition ..... Lucinda Walton to James De Long, part of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 19, Township 17 north, Range 3 east ..... Mary E. Ennis to James De Long, part of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 19, Township 17 north, Range 3 east ..... 3,300

Transfers, 15; consideration ..... Attentions to Dewey.

Washington Special. The Washington friends of John R. Mc Lean, candidate for Governor of Ohio, are making much of the fact that Mrs. Washington McLean, his mother, is spending \$1,000 in adorning the carriage in which Admiral Dewey will ride about the city during the ceremonies incident to his return to the capital. During the first great days of his stay in Washington Admiral Dewey will be the guest of Mrs. McLean. His sojourn will be enlivened by the presence in the splendid McLean mansion of a collection of

Deductive Reasoning.

Washington Star. "I done had de mos' cur'usest dream ebber hyeahd about!" he exclaimed. "Was yoh dreamin' sentimental?" in quired Miss Miami Brown. "No. I dreamt dat I had wings an' wah sittin' on a limb flappin' 'em an' gittin' ready to crow!" "You sho'ly mus' be mo' kyahful 'bout yoh digestion, Mistuh Pinkley," was the rejoinder. "Dem chicken san'widges you done et so many of mus' er gone to yoh haid."

A Harassing Problem. Detroit Free Press.

"William, I don't know whether to telegraph or not before I start out to Cousin "Well, if I don't telegraph maybe she won't be at home; and if I do maybe she will go off visiting somewhere."

WHEAT PRICES WEAKER | ber. 4.10c; December, 4.40c; January, 4.45c; March, 4.60c; June, 4.75c; July, 4.80c; August, 4.85c. Spot

INCLINATION TO REALIZE RESULTED

Coarse Grain Followed the Course of the Leader Throughout the Session-Pork Higher.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23 .- Wheat to-day was weak from beginning to end of the short session and closed at 1/2c decline for December and 11/2c for September. The support the market received on account of the failure of a big bear firm Thursday had oped. Corn closed 1/4c lower for December. December oats lost 1/3c. September in both markets was steadier. Provisions closed 216 @10c higher.

Wheat showed heaviness right at the start. Yesterday's sharp advance here Liverpool, while other foreign markets did not show any greater improvement. Buying consequent on the failure of the most prominent bear house Thursday had apparently ceased, and, although the market for a short time exhibited some nervousness over the rumors of further failures, the reports involved only small firms and the market was soon left to the influence of normal conditions. A tendency to realize on purchases made earlier in the week gradually developed, and, though the pressure did not become heavy at any time, it was sufficient to gradually force prices downward. The price finally got well under put figures and buying against those privileges caused a 4c reaction. Before the close, however, the market had again dropped back into dullness and prices slowly declined to their former level. Almost nothing was done in September. There was no demand for that option and a few selling orders were sufficient to cause a decline of 1/2c. Primary receipts were heavy and the cash demand poor, which increased the heaviness of the speculative market. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 1,066 cars, against 1,007 | CINCINNATI, Sept. 23.-Flour st cars last week and 1,091 cars a year ago. Chicago receipts were 156 cars, two of contract grade. Total primary receipts were 1,027,000 bushels, compared with 1,344,000 Whisky steady at \$1.22. bushels a year ago. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour amounted to 638,000 bushels. The seaboard reported twelve loads taken for export. The world's shipments were expected to exceed 7,000,000 bushels

December opened 4c lower at 72%@724c. It declined to 72%c and closed at 72%@721/2c. Corn was firm for September, but weak for deferred futures and dull for every thing. There was scattered realizing all day by recent buyers of December. A fair demand for September shorts kept that op-tion steady. Receipts were liberal, 950 cars, and a large increase in the local stocks was expected. A heavy shipping business was reported, with seventy loads taken for export at the seaboard. December ranged from 30% @ 30% c to 30% c and closed % c lower at 29%c. To-day's prices were considerably over weekly calls. Oats were quiet and rather easy, with receiving houses moderate sellers all day. longs realized to some extent. Sympathy with other grain markets was apparent. Receipts were 329 cars. The cash

demand was rather light. December ranged from 22% to 22%, and closed %c lower, at Provisions were dull, but steady, pork leading. Early there was a tendency toward lower prices, but the sharp advance of meats at Liverpool and some covering by outside sellers helped the market. At the close January pork was 21/205c higher, at \$9.721/209.75. October lard showed 10c advance. January lard closed unchanged, at \$5.521/2, and ribs 21/2@5c higher, at \$5.071/2@ Estimated receipts for Monday-Wheat 225 cars; corn, 1,090 cars; oats, 400 cars;

hogs, 32,000 head.

Leading futures ranged as follows Articles. High-Lowing. Wheatest. Sept ... Dec .... 72%-72% May ... 73%-751/2 751/2 74%-75 Corn-Sept ... 341/8 Dec .... 30 -301/8 29%-29% May ... 30%-301/2 Sept ... 22%-22% Dec .... 22% Ma, ... 23% Pork-Oct ....\$8.071/2 \$8.171/2 Dec .... 8.20 8.321/2 9.75 9.70 9.75 Jan .... 9.70 Oct .... 5.3214 Dec .... 5.421/2

5.421/2 Jan .... 5.621/2 5.521/2 5.5214 Rihs-Oct .... 5.121/2 Jan .... 5.071/2 Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm winter patents, \$3.50@3.60; straights, \$3.10@3.55; spring specials, \$4.10@4.20; spring patents, \$3.40@ 3.70; straights, \$3@3.20. No. 3 spring wheat, 65@ 69c; No. 2 red, 72%c. No. 2 corn, 34@34%c; No. yellow, 34@34%c. No. 2 cats, 22%@23%c; No. white, 25%c, f. o. b.; No. 3 white, 24% 225c. No. 2 rye, 58% 257%c. No. 2 barley, 41245c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.12. Prime timothy seed, \$2.40. Clover seed, \$5.50@6.75, nominal. Mess pork, per bri, \$8.15@8.20. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$5.17\@5.32\%. Short-rib sides (loose), \$5.05@5.40. Dry-salted shoulders (boxed), \$6@6.1214. Short-clear sides (boxed), \$5.55@5.65. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.22. Sugar, cut loaf, 5.83c; granulated, 5.81c. Receipts-Flour, 16,000 bris; wheat, 127,000 bu; corn, 695,000 bu; oats, 369,000 bu; rye, 9,000 bu; 68,600 bu. Ship wheat, 5,000 bu; corn, 244,000 bu; oats, 290,000 bu; barley, 13,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- Flour-Receipts. 23.148 brls; exports, 12,415 brls. Market quiet but steady; winter patents, \$3.60@3.80; winter straights, \$3.35@ 600 3.45; Minnesota patents, \$3.90@4.10; winter extras.

\$2.45@2.90; Minnesota bakers, \$3@3.15; winter low 6.500 grades, \$2.25@2.40. Rye flour steady; good to fair, \$3.15@3.30; choice to fancy, \$3.35@3.50. Buckwheat flower quiet at \$2.50@2.60. Buckwheat steady at 55@65c. Corn meal quiet; rellow Western, 75@ 76c; Brandywine, 22@23c.

Rye firm; No. 2 Western, 65c, affoat, spot. Barley firm; feeding, 41@42c, c. i. f., Buffalo; malt-Western, 55@65c.

ing, 45@60c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Barley malt steady; Wheat-Receipts, 169,275 bu; exports, 170,547 bu. Spot weak; No. 2 red, 75%c, f. o. b., affoat, spot; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 7934c, f. o. b., afloat, to arrive, new; No. 2 red, 74c, in elevator. Options opened easy, with prices unchanged in the face of higher cables. Later the market gave way under local liquidation in the absence of outside support and declined 1/20%c, closing weak at the lowest point, the decline being assisted by larger receipts in the Northwest and disappointing export demand for cash wheat. May, 79%@80%c, closing at 79%c; September, 74@74%c, closing at 74c; December, 76% 677%c, closing at 76%c. Corn-Receipts, 165,750 bu; exports, 9,136 bu Spot steady; No. 2, 41c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2, 29%c, in elevator. Options opened quiet and unchanged, but declined %@%c under realizing in sympathy with the decline in wheat, and folowed predictions in a let-up in the recent great export movement; closed easy at %@%c net decline. May, 361/4c, closing at 36c; September closed at 391/4c; December, 361/40371/4c, closing at 361/4c. Oats-Receipts, 43,400 bu; exports, 107,139 bu Spot firm; No. 2, 28c; No. 3, 274c; No. 2 white, 2914@30c; No. 3 white, 29@2914c; track mixed Western, 271/2@29c; track white, 30@35c. Options quiet and steady. Hay steady; shipping, 50@65c; good to choice. 6c: 1897 crop nominal; 1898 crop, 10@13c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 4@6c; 1897 crop nominal; 1898 crop, 11@14c. Hides firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs, 17c; Texas iry, 24 to 30 lbs, 121/2@13c; California, 21 to 25 Leather steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres,

light to heavy weights, 22@23½c; acid, 22½@25c. Beef firm; family, \$10.50@11.50; mess, \$9@9.50 packet, \$10@10.50; city extra India mess, \$14.50@ 6. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, \$5.75@7.50 pickled shoulders, \$666.25; pickled hams, \$8.75@10. Lard steady; Western steam, \$5.65. Refined pulet; continent, \$6; S. A., \$6.50; compound, \$5@ 5.124. Pork firm; mess, \$9@9.50; short clear, \$10.50@11.75; family, \$11.50@12. Tallow strong at 5@54c; country, 5@5%c, as Rice steady; domestic, fair to extra, 5%@7%c;

Japanese, 4%@5%c. Molasses steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 32@36c. Cotton-seed oil quiet but firm; prime crude nominal. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 17@181/c; prime summer yellow, 26@27c; off summer yelow, 26c; butter grades, 29@30c; prime yellow, 30631c; prime white, 291630c. Coffee Options opened quiet from unchanged to 5 points lower under disappointing cables, heavier receipts and increase in American visible; ruled

ber. 4.10c; December, 4.40c; January, 4.45c; March, coffee-Rio dull and easy; No. 7, invoice, 5 7-18c; No. 7, jobbing, 5 15-16c. Mild quiet; Cordova, 64@

Sugar-Raw quiet and barely steady; fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3 9-16c. Refined quiet and steady; No. 6, 414c; No. 7, 47-16c; No. 8, 434c; No. 9, 45-16c; No. 10, 43-16c; No. 11, 41-16c; No. 12, 4c; No. 13, 4c; No. 14, 3 15-16c; mold A, 5 7-16c; standard A, 4 15-16c; confectioners' A, 4 15-16c; cut loaf, 5 9-16c; crushed, 5 11-16c; powdered, 5%c; granulated, 5 3-16c; cubes, 5 5-16c.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Baltimore,

Cincinnati and Other Places.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 23 .- Wheat firm; No. 1 Callfornia, 6s 1d@6s 2d: No. 2 red winter, 5s 10d; No. 1 Northern spring, 6s 21/2d; futures firm; September, 5s 10%d; December, 6s %d; March, 6s 2d. Corn-Spot firm; American mixed, new and old, 3s 7d; futures firm; September, 3s 7d; October, 3s 7d; November, 3s 6%d. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter firm at 7s 9d. Beef-Extra India mess strong at 47s 7d; prime mess firm at 51s 3d. ceased and an inclination to realize devel- | Pork firm; prime mess, Western, 51s 3d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong at 46s. Bacon strong; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 38s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, 33s; long-clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, 33s 6d; long-clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 33s; short-clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 31s 6d; clear beilies, 14 to 16 lbs, 36s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm at 28s. Lard firm; prime Western, in tierces, 28s; American refined, pails, 29s 3d. Butter-Finest United States, was followed by an advance of only ¼d at | 97s; good, 72s. Cheese firm; American finest, Liverpool, while other foreign markets did | white, 53s; American finest, colored, 55s. Tallow firm; prime city, 25s; Australian, in London, 26s. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23 .- Flour strong and higher; patents, \$3.45@3.60; extra fancy, \$3.15@3.25; clear, \$2.75@8. Timothy seed firm at \$2.10@2.40; worth more. Corn meal steady at \$1.75@1.80. Bran higher and scarce; sacked lots, east track, 64@ 66c. Hay steady to firm; timothy, \$8@10.50; prairie, \$5@5.75. Whisky steady at \$1.22. Cotton ties, \$1.15. Hemp twine, 9c. Bagging, 6%c. Drysalt meats quiet; boxed shoulders and extra shorts, \$5.50; clear ribs, \$5.62½; clear sides, \$5.75. Bacon quiet; boxed shoulders, \$5.75; extra shorts, \$6; clear ribs, \$6.121/2: clear sides, \$6.25. Receipts -Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 27,000 bu; corn, 68,000 bd; cats, 24,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 8,000 bris; wheat, 6,000 bu; corn, 56,000 bu; cats, 15,000 bu. BALTIMORE, Sept. 23.—Flour firm; receipts, 30,752 bris; exports, 346 bris. Wheat easy; spot and the month, 72@72%c; October, 72%@72%c; December, 741/2074%c; steamer No. 2 red, 68@68%c; receipts, 18,203 bu; exports, 15,900 bu; Southern. by sample, 65@724c; Southern, on grade, 69@ 72½c. Corn easy; mixed, spot, 34½c; the month, 39c asked; October, 38c asked; November and December, new or old, 34% @35c; January and February, 341/2034%c; steamer mixed, 38@384c; receipts, 107,497 bu; exports, 170,073 bu; Southern white corn, 41@41½c; Southern yellow corn, 41@ 42c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 29c, sales; No. 2

> TOLEDO, Sept. 23.—Wheat lower and weak; No. 2, cash and September, 70%c; December, 74c. Corn active and steady; No. 2 mixed, 34%c. Oats active and easier; No. 2 mixed, 28c. Rye neglected. Clover seed dull and easy; prime, cash and October, \$5.15; December, \$5. firmer; No. 2 red, 70%c. Corn steady; No. 2 mixed, 34%c. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed, 25@25%c. Rye firm; No. 2, 62%c. Lard steady at \$5.20. Bulk meats steady at \$5.30. Bacon active at \$6.15.

Wool.

mixed, 2614@27c.

751 bales.

LONDON, Sept. 23 .- There was a good attend ance at to-day's session of the wool auction sales. The efferings numbered 12,000 bales, principally scoured merinos. Yorkshire was the best buyer, with the continent also a liberal purchaser. Russia secured suitable parcels of merinos. A lot of Geelong and Tasmanian flocks were taken prin-cipally by the home trade. Cross breds were in much smaller supply than usual. The high level of prices continued to rule, though coarser scoured slipes were irregular. Fine greasies showed a hardening tendency and good scoureds were dear. American representatives were eager bidders for good scoureds and took a fair quantity at full prices. Sixty thousand bales were sold during the week. Next weeks offerings will amount to 76,600 bales. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 3,800 bales; scoured 7%d@2s 4d; greasy, 5%d@1s 2d. Queensland, 1,400 bales; scoured, 114d@2s ½d; greasy, 7½d@1s. Victoria, 2,900 bales; scoured, 8½d@2s 4½d; greasy, 6½d@2s 4½d; greasy, 6d@1s 5½d. South Australia, 200 bales; scoured, 10d@1s 7½d; greasy, 8½@9d. Tasmania, 400 bales; greasy, 6½d@1s 3d. New Zealand, 3,100 bales; scoured, 6¾d@2s 3d; greasy, 5½d@1s ½d. The imports during the week; New Sealand, 100 bales; scoured, 6¾d@2s 3d; greasy, 5½d@1s ½d. The imports during the week: New South Wales, 1,859 bales; Melbourne, 308 bales; Brisbane, 5,519 bales; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 590 bales; Burreh, 2,916 bales; Boston, 143 bales; elsewhere,

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- Wool firm; domestic fleece, 20@25c; Texas, 14@17c.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese. NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Butter-Receipts, 3,629 packages. Market quiet but steady; Western creamery, 17@23c; fine creamery, 184@22c; factory, 131/2@151/2c. Cheese-Receipts, 1,855 packages. Market steady; large white, 10%c; small white, 114@11%c; large colored, 11c; small colored, 114@ 11½c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,652 packages. Market steady; Western ungraded, at mark, 13@17c. CHICAGO, Sept. 23 .- On the Produce Exchange o-day the butter market was firm; creameries, 16@221/c; dairies, 13@18c. Cheese steady at 10%@ 11%c. Eggs firm; fresh, 16c.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.—Eggs-Market firm; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 14%c per lozen, cases returned. CINCINNATI, Sept. 23.-Butter quiet. Eggs firm at 15c. Cheese firm. BALTIMORE, Sept. 23.-Butter firm. Cheese

steady: Eggs firm. Oils.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- Petroleum strong; refined New York, 8.80c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 8.75c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, 6.25c. Rosin dull; strained, common to good, \$1.25@1.27½. Spirits of turpentine quiet at 50@50½c. OIL CITY, Sept. 23 .- Credit balances \$1.46; certificates opened with no bids or offers; closed at \$1.481/4 bid for cash oil; highest and lowest, \$1.481/4. Runs average 83,417 bris; shipments average 86,340 bris. WILMINGTON, Sept. 23.—Spirits of turpentine steady at 46%@47c. Rosin firm at 90@95c. Crude

turpentine firm at \$1.30 to \$2.50. Tar firm at \$1.30. SAVANNAH, Sept. 23 .- Spirits of turpentine firm at 47c. Rosin firm and unchanged. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23 .- Spelter steady at 5.40c. Lead steady at 4.521/c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- The spot demand for iry goods to-day was quiet in all departments, but mail orders were good for most lines of cotton goods. No changes in quotations, but the week closes with expectations of further advances, particularly in bleached cottons. Prints are quiet throughout. Ginghams firm. Cotton varns in good demand; tone strong moving upwards. Worsted yarns also selling well, with an advancing tendency. Jute yarns scarce and strong.

Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- California dried fruits steady. Evaporated apples, common, 71/2c; prime wire tray, 714@81/c; choice, 81/@9c; fancy, 9@91/c Prunes, 31/681/2c. Apricots, Royal, 12@131/4c; Moor Park, 14@16c. Peaches, unpeeled, 7%@9c, new.

Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23 .- Cotton quiet and steady. Sales, 1,300 bales. Ordinary, 47-16c; good ordinary, 415-16c; low middling, 5%c; middling, 64c; good middling, 64c; middling fair, 6%c. Receipts, 9,818 bales; stock, 163,992 bales.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- The brokers' price for lead is 4.40c and for copper 18.50c. LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Scarce and Dull-Hogs Active and Higher-Sheep Quiet.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 23.-Cattle-Receipts light; shipments, none. There were but few fresh arrivals. Most of the offerings were of stockers held over from yesterday, which found slow sale. Killers, medium to good ...... 4.75@ 5.25 Killers, common to good...... 4.00@ 4.50 Feeders, good to choice ...... 4.25@ 4.75 Stockers, common to good...... 3.50@ 4.25 Heifers, fair to medium..... Heifers, common to thin...... 3.20@ 3.50 Cows, good to choice..... Cows, fair to medium..... 3.20@ 3.50 Bulls, good to choice..... Bulls, common to medium..... 2.50@ 3.25 Milkers, good to choice......35.00@45.00 Milkers, common to medium......20.00@30.00 Hoge-Receipts, 1,400; shipments light. There

lights and heavies selling about the same. Lights ..... 4.721/204.80 Sheep and Lambs-Receipts light; shipments, none. There was but little doing for want of stock. The market was quiet at barely steady

was a very light run. The market opened active

at strong 5c higher than yesterday, matured

Fair to medium sheep...... 3.00@3.40 Stockers, common to good ...... Spring lambs, good to choice...... 4.50@5.2 Spring lambs, common to medium...... 3.00@4.25

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.-Cattle-Receipts, 200. supply too light to furnish quotations. Supply of week very large; demand good, desirable

ing grades sold from steady to 10c lower. Stock and feeding cattle continue very active at strong prices, the best grades developing the most strength. Heavy native steers, \$5.65@6.50; light weights, \$5.25@6.10; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@ 5.25; butchers' cows and helfers, \$3.10@5.15; canners, \$2.40@3.10; veal calves, \$66; Western steers, \$3@5.95; Texans, \$3@4.30. Hogs-Receipts, 3,176. Active demand; small supply strengthening prices. Heavy, \$4.40@4.45; mixed, \$4.30@4.45; lights, \$4.35@4.50; pigs, \$4.10@

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St. Louis southwestern, lim, d s ..... Terre Haute & Mattoon accom ..... St. Louis express, s.... incinnati, Washington flex. s d ... . 6.20 N. Vernen and Louisville ex, ds....... 3.45 •11.50 N. Vernen and Louisville ex....... 2.45 11.40 PEORIA LINE.

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liberal and prices about steady. Lambs brought \$4.75@5.25; muttons, \$3.85@4.25; feeding lambs, \$3.50@4.60; feeding sheep, \$3.25@4.15; stockers, \$3@ 4.25; culls, \$2@3. EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 23 .- [Special.]-Ran-

som, Mansfield & Co., live stock commission dealers, report: Cattle—Receipts, 26 cars, mostly Canada stockers. Market quiet and easy for fat cattle; stockers and feeders quiet. Feeders, 950 lbs, \$4.65@4.70; stockers, \$4@4.40; good ones firm. Veals, tops, \$7.50@6; common to good \$5@7.26. Hogs-Receipts, 15 cars. Market active and higher for all kinds. Best Yorkers, \$4.96; light Yorkers, \$4.90@4.95; mixed packers, \$4.90@5; mediums, \$4.90@4.95; heavy, \$4.90; pigs, \$4.75@4.90; grassers and Michigans, heavy grassers to good York weight Michigans, \$4.75@4.90; roughs, \$3.90@4.20; stags, \$3.25@3.75. Closed firm.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 15 cars fresh and 0 cars holdovers. Market fairly active and be 10c higher for lambs. Sheep about steady. Best native lambs, \$5.60@5.70; culls to good, \$3.75@6.80; mixed sheep, tops, \$4.35@4.50; culls to good, \$3@4.25; wethers, \$4.50@4.75; yearlings, \$4.50@5; Canada lambs, \$5.60@5.80. Closed firm; all sold.

ordinary grades. The market, in conseq was practically nominal. The few sales were There was an active demand for hogs and prices ruled about 2½@5c higher. Heavy hogs sold at \$4.20@4.75; mixed lots at \$4.40@4.77½, and light at \$4.40@4.80; pigs brought \$3.90@4.75 and culls \$20 There was a fairly active demand for the limited offerings of sheep and lambs at the recent decline in prices. Sheep sold at \$4.50 for prime yearlings, \$3.50@3.75 for Western rangers, common lots bringing \$2.50@3.45. Lambs brought \$3.50

CHICAGO, Sept. 23 .- Only about 200 head of

cattle were received to-day and these were mostly

@5.75 for natives and \$4.60@5.35 for Western ran-Receipts-Cattle, 200; hogs, 13,000; sheep, 400 ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 200, Market nominal for want of receipts. Native shipping steers, \$4.75@6.75; dressed beef steers, \$4.25@5.75; steers under 1,000 lbs, \$3.85@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.75; cows and heifers, \$2@4; the top for best heifers; canners, \$1@1.76; 4; the top for best heifers; canners, \$160 bulls, \$2@3.75; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.206 4.40; cows and heifers, \$2.25@3.85. Hogs-Receipts, 1,900. Market strong to higher. Pigs and lights, \$4.50@4.70; packers, \$4.50 @4.65; butchers, \$4.60@4.75. Sheep-Receipts, 200. Market active and steady. Native muttons, \$3.75@4.25; lambs, \$4@5.90; stockers, \$2@3.50; culls and bucks, \$2@4.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- Beeves-Receipts, 478. No trading. Feeling steady. Cables unc Exports, 978 cattle, 190 sheep and 1,000 quarters of Calves-Receipts, 72. Market quiet but steady Veals, \$6@8.50; grassers and fed calves, \$3.75@4.25. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 2,146. Sheep steady; good lambs firm to a shade stronger; medium dull. Sheep, \$464.50; lambs, \$5675.85; one car ex-

tra, \$6.35; Canadians, \$5.75@5.77%. Hogs-Receipts, 2,446. None for sale. Marke nominally steady. CINCINNATI, Sept. 23 .- Hogs quiet at \$3.756 Cattle quiet at \$2.75@5.25.

Sheep steady at \$2@4; lambs steady at \$2.750

The Van Vorhis Theory.

Noblesville (Ind.) Ledger. Life is worth living again. Flavius J. Van through the Journal that when a farmer exports his corn to Europe our country worse off. Flavius makes us smile, and life without laughter is hard indeed. If his theory be true, every farmer that sells anything to anybody is worse off-he should keep his corn and wheat on his own farm and be rich. If we exported nothing, if we did not "lose our wealth through exportation," it would not be a year until every wheel in our country would stop, and the farmer would be in the same condition he was when Flavius was trying to better his

cuse us-s-x-t-n to o-e. Good Poker Hands.

condition through the indorsement of-ex-

London Leader. The prime sensation of the season, so far as men are concerned, may safely be said to be the great poker hand recently played out at the club. The small cards were drawn up to the sixes, and after four out of the five players "stood." the hands were seen they were found to be a royal flush to the king, a royal flush to the queen, fours of aces and a "full" king. The feelings of the man who had the flush sluggish and featureless throughout the session.
Shorts were restrained by larger warehouse movement, and closed steady from unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales, 12,750 bags, including: Octo
4.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,520. Supply largely Western grassers, that sold freely at steady prices. Very little change in values this week. Supply was make angels weep.